

# California OES Weather Threat Briefing

Wednesday, October 9, 2019  
9:00 AM PDT

- **Day 1:** Very strong and gusty north winds will create extreme fire weather concerns for the Coastal and northern Inland regions

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# **WEATHER KEY POINTS**

**10/09/19 - 10/15/19**

## **Wednesday-Saturday**

- Very strong winds in the eastern Sierra expected ahead of the cold front passage Wed morning with gusts possibly exceeding 50 mph
- Gusty southwest winds for interior portions of Southern Region and southern Inland Region Wed
- Very strong and gusty north winds will create extreme fire weather concerns for the Coastal and northern Inland regions early Wed-Thu
- Strong Santa Ana wind Thu-Fri that will have increased fire concerns due to the extended period of warm and dry conditions preceding this event and gusts between 45-70mph expected
- Offshore winds may also create elevated fire weather concerns across the North Bay areas, western portions of the Sacramento River Valley, and the northern Sierra foothills areas again late in the week

## **Sunday-Tuesday**

- No significant weather or water hazards expected



# CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

10/09/19 - 10/15/19

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE
<b>Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds</b>	Southern/ Inland	Southern/ Coastal Inland	Southern/ Coastal				
<b>Snow</b>							
<b>Coastal Flooding</b>							
<b>River Flooding</b>							
<b>Thunderstorms</b> (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)							
<b>Fire Weather</b> (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)	Coastal/ Inland	Southern/ Coastal/ Inland	Southern/ Coastal	Southern			
<b>Heat Risk</b>							
<b>Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding / Debris Flow</b>							
<b>Extreme Cold</b>							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



Moderate Impacts



Severe Impacts

## PRECIPITATION FORECAST

10/09/19 - 10/11/19

**No significant precipitation  
is expected for at least the  
next 3 days.**

**Precipitation (inches)**



# **WEATHER OUTLOOK**

**10/14/19 - 10/22/19**

## **6-10 Day Outlook (October 14 – October 18)**

### **Temperatures**

- Below normal temperatures slightly favored across much of northern CA, with near normal temperatures favored elsewhere

### **Precipitation**

- Near normal precipitation favored for central and southern CA, with above normal precipitation across the northern portion of the state

## **8-14 Day Outlook (October 16 – October 22)**

### **Temperatures**

- Below normal temperatures slightly favored across the state

### **Precipitation**

- Above normal precipitation slightly favored for central and northern CA, with near normal precipitation favored over southern CA



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